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BIG FLEETS BATTING IN EASTERN WATERS

Fierce Fighting Reported Between Japanese and Russia Squadrons Today.

Desperate Fight at Vafangow---Russian Generals Killed in Battle.

PORT ARTHUR HARBOR "UNBOTTLED" AGAIN

London, June 15.—The Tokio correspondent of the Central News wires that a naval battle is proceeding off the island of Tsu Shima, between Japan and Korea, between the cruisers of the Russian Vladivostok squadron and the Japanese vessels.

There are no details. An earlier dispatch stated that the Russian fleet escaped from Vladivostok and is now at sea, and later cannonading was heard northwest of Nagato.

PORT ARTHUR'S PERIL.

Rome, June 15.—A message from Chefoo says that the Japanese here succeeded in placing fifty-two large siege guns on the heights north of Port Arthur. The people have escaped from the Port, says the message, and only the combatants remain there. There is merely sufficient provisions to last six weeks.

THE CORK OUT OF THE BOTTLE.

Tokio, June 15.—A dispatch just received states that the entrance to Port Arthur harbor is again open and the Russian cruiser Novik emerged Tuesday and engaged the Japanese fleet.

RUSSIANS KILLED IN BATTLE.

St. Petersburg, June 15.—Emperor Nicholas yesterday received the following from Lieutenant General Baron Stakelberg:

HEARTY WELCOME FOR 30,000 VETS

One of the Largest Confederate Reunions Ever Held.

Nashville in Gala Attire—General Gordon Is Greatly Missed

MEETS NEXT AT LOUISVILLE

Nashville, Tenn., June 15.—Under every condition tending to a successful reunion, Nashville officially welcomed the United Confederate Veterans and their friends, constituting a host conservatively estimated at 30,000 people. The exercises of the day took place in the tabernacle and every bit of space was taken long before the veterans were called to order by General George W. Gordon, of Memphis, commander of the Tennessee division.

It was the first convention in the history of the organization that the Sons of Veterans sat with their fathers and the cheers from the throats of the younger generations at almost every expression by those who took part in the strife forty years ago made it manifest that the spirit of '61 would be perpetuated in generations to come. California was represented on the floor; from far off Montana a delegation was sent and Ohio was on hand with four delegates.

It is the fourteenth annual meeting and the first at which the distinguished cavalry officer, John B. Gordon, did not preside.

The association today elected General Stephen D. Lee commander-in-chief by acclamation. The next reunion is to be held at Louisville.

Miss Alice Willis, of Metropolis, is visiting her brother, Mr. P. E. Starn.

CABINET CHANGES

MOODY SUCCEEDS KNOX AND CONGRESSMAN DAYTON SUCCEEDS MOODY.

Washington, June 15.—Congressman Dayton, of West Virginia, has, it is said, been invited by President Roosevelt to become secretary of the navy to succeed Secretary Moody who becomes attorney general when General Knox retires.

FOURTH ATTEMPT

OF OHIO MURDERER TO SUICIDE FAILED.

Columbus, Ohio, June 15.—Louis Harmon, condemned to be electrocuted tomorrow night, attempted suicide by hanging himself with suspenders today. This was his fourth attempt since being arrested.

A NEW WRINKLE

HOOSIERS OPEN A DANCE WITH PRAYER.

Brazil, Ind., June 15.—A dance given by the Pastime club of Knightsbridge was opened with prayer by the pastor of the Methodist church as a compromise with the young folks who were members of the club and church.

When the dance was announced there was a division, followed by warm words, the older members supporting the pastor in opposition. The dance was given with the pastor and other members attending in a body and opening the festivities with prayer, and with authority to stop the fun if it became to their eyes unseemly. The waltzes were played slowly and there was no interruption. There is still much feeling, however.

GENERAL ENGAGEMENT REPORTED.

London, June 15.—A dispatch from Liao Yang says that heavy firing between the Russians and Japanese vanguard commenced at 1:40 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The fighting extended along the entire front, assuming the dimensions of a general engagement. The correspondent says that no details are available.

WILL DESTROY THE GUN.

Lexington, Ky., June 15.—Police Judge John J. Riley created a sensation in the police court by stating that hereafter when a man was before him for carrying concealed deadly weapons the offender would be given the limit of the law in fines and the weapon would be destroyed by an officer in the presence of the court.

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When quiet was finally restored the yes and nays on the substitution of the minority for the majority was called for and it was lost.

THE BLAZED TRAIL

BY STEWART EDWARD WHITE

WILL BE OUR NEXT SERIAL STORY

You can avail yourself of legal advice without paying for it.

The first installment of the story will be published Thursday, June 16.

HUNDREDS PERISH IN STEAMBOAT DISASTER

General Slocum With 1600 New York Excursionists Burns.

Many Jumped and Were Drowned, and Others Remained and Burned to Death.

FIVE HUNDRED REPORTED TO HAVE PERISHED

New York, June 15.—The steamboat General Slocum left this morning for Locust Grove with sixteen hundred passengers, mostly women and children of the St. Mark's Lutheran church.

When near North Brothers' Island the boat took fire in her upper decks, creating a panic.

The pilot steered for a shore under a full head of steam, which hastened the spread of the flames which by this time were licking the huge boat from stem to stern.

Scores jumped over board and were drowned, while other terror-stricken women and children huddled together on the steamer and were burned to death.

Many were caught floating in the water and picked up in boats and saved, and it is impossible at present to determine how many lost their lives.

The scene in the vicinity is too terrible to depict.

The police state that five hundred were lost by drowning or burning, but it is hoped this will prove to be an exaggeration.

The owners of the boat received a message at noon that she burned to the water's edge and the hulk is still burning.

A telephone message from the Island says that the water is full of mangled and blackened corpses.

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JIM HOWARD

Frankfort, June 15.—The court of appeals today overruled the petition for a re-hearing in the case of James Howard given a life sentence, for alleged complicity in the murder of William Gowen.

JUDGE PARKER

PROBABLY WILL NOT ATTEND DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION.

Albany, June 15.—Judge Parker has not engaged rooms at the Planters hotel at St. Louis, for the convention and it is believed here that he will not attend.

SERVIAN PEOPLE

CELEBRATE THE FIRST ANNIVERSARY OF THEIR KING.

Belgrade, June 15.—The anniversary of the enthronement of King Peter is being celebrated with general festivities throughout the country. Everything has thus far passed off orderly.

WILL RECOMMEND THE DOUBLE TRACKS

Board of Public Works Not Decided on Widening Broadway.

Favors Requiring the Street Car Company to Pay for Paving Between Tracks.

THE BOARD MEETS TONIGHT

The most important matter to come up tonight before the board of public works at its regular meeting, is the widening of Broadway and the double tracking of the street car line at least as far beyond Fifth street as Broadway is paved.

It is not certain what will be recommended by the board, except that it will recommend the double tracks. It is yet undecided whether it is advisable to widen the street, or to double track the thoroughfare at its present width. It is likely, however, that the board will in any event recommend that the street car company pay for the paving between its tracks, which would save the city considerable money.

It is likely that in the near future the company will take up the matter of providing a better system of transferring on Broadway. One plan suggested is to build belt lines around that way, instead of stopping on lower Broadway and changing the trolley.

One trouble about requiring the street car company to pay for part of the paving is that if the street is widened and it has to pay for the additional property used to add to the thornogahare's width, which it has proposed to do it might object to the other. The charter requires the property owner to pay half and the city half of all street reconstruction, which would prevent the city requiring the company to pay any part of the paving.

The board of public works will likely not undertake any improvements at the city light plant this year, as there is no available appropriation. The city needs more lights and the plant is already taxed to its fullest capacity. Next year new and better machinery will be recommended.

A serious problem that confronts the health authorities and board of works is how to drain the Home of the Friendless, in the West End. The slops and water from the sink have been run into the gutters, threatening the contamination of the entire neighborhood. A dry well has been suggested, but dry wells are against the law. It is probable, however, that a dry well will be permitted in this case as the best way out of the dilemma.

CONTRACTORS' CHILD DIES.

Lucille Gardner, the 14-months-old daughter of Mr. George Gardner, a well known contractor, died this morning at 2004 Bridge street of stomach trouble. The burial will take place tomorrow afternoon at Oak Grove.

ROUSTER STOPS LEADEN MISS

Possibly Fatal Shooting on Wharf Today.

Sam Taw and Joe Casey Quarrel Over and One Returns with a Gun.

A shooting scrape occurred on wharf about 8 o'clock this morning and Joe Casey, of Clifton, Tenn., was shot in the right breast by Sam Taw. Both were roosters on steamer Clyde and had previous to shooting quarreled, it is alleged, over some of the work required of them.

They were separated, however, before they came to blows, and one claimed he thought no more about it until Taw returned with a pistol and opened fire on him, one shot taking effect in his right breast. Taw is up the hill and disappeared, but officers have reason to believe he still hid in the city.

The shooting attracted quite a crowd, and the wounded man was taken to the city hospital in the piazza wagon. An examination of his injuries indicate that they will not prove fatal unless blood poisoning develops. Taw is said to live in Paducah.

Dr. Horace Rivers, who made an examination of the wound, states that the bullet passed through the right arm and then struck a rib, ranging downward and inside, where the bullet was lost. He said the bullet could not be found with certainty, but it got into shoe leather, and does not think the injury is fatal.

This afternoon Casey unexpectedly got out of bed, left the city hospital and started for town, saying he had money coming to him off the Clyde and was going to get it before the boat pulled out tonight. This action may reduce his chances of recovery.

IMMENSE CROWD OF KENTUCKIANS

Throngs St. Louis Today—Kentucky Building Dedicated.

Governor Beckham and Staff and Others Arrived on a Special Train.

KENTUCKY EDITORS THERE

St. Louis, June 15.—The handsome Kentucky building at the world's fair was formally dedicated today.

Governor Beckham and staff and the commercial bodies of Louisville arrived on a special train and took part in the ceremonies which followed the parade of Kentucky editors who arrived Tuesday and were conspicuous at the gathering.

In the party of Governor Beckham, who received the colors of the Battleship Kentucky were: Governor's staff—Colonel Noel Gaines, inspector general; Colonel A. T. McCormick, Colonel Mott Ayres, Colonel J. Weir Griffith, Colonel Fred Levy, Colonel O. E. Nadaud, Colonel Alanson Trigg, Colonel Herman V. Cohn, Colonel E. L. Robinson, Colonel Frank P. Sebree, Colonel E. P. Millitt, Colonel G. R. Veene, Colonel R. G. Evans, Colonel Charles P. Dehler, Colonel Harry M. Brennan, Colonel Paul F. Simonin, Colonel M. J. Winn and Mayor Charles F. Granger.

Those in the governor's private suite were: Governor and Mrs. Beckham, Miss Hattie Bell Faqua, Miss Smith, Judge and Mrs. S. W.

ONLY GOOSE EGGS FOR EIGHT INNINGS

Hopkinsville Gave the Indians a Close Call.

They Made Two Runs in the Ninth Inning—Cairo and Vincennes Won.

FAST BALL WAS PLAYED

CLUB.	P.	W.	L.	Pct
PADUCAH	30	25	5	.833
Cairo	33	31	12	.637
Henderson	32	15	17	.469
Clarksville	32	13	19	.407
Hopkinsville	33	12	21	.364
Vincennes	29	8	21	.270

TODAY'S SCHEDULE.

Hopkinsville at Paducah.
Clarksville at Cairo.
Henderson at Vincennes.
Double-header at Paducah.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

Paducah 3, Hopkinsville 2.

Cairo 3, Clarksville 2.

Vincennes 7, Henderson 3.

HOPPERS DEFEATED.

Hopkinsville started the series yesterday by giving the Indians a tussle at league park in the presence of a large crowd, including many ladies. The visitors played a stiff game, but were shut out until the ninth inning, when Brady became too sure and allowed them three hits, two singles and a double, which netted them two runs. The plucky little pitcher then got down to business and saved the day.

The game was an errorless one for Paducah, and the hitting was good and timely. Still, it was no picnic for the locals, Hoptown having probably one of the best teams in the league.

THE SUMMARY.

	ab	r	bb	po	a	e
Paducah, ss	2	0	0	1	1	0
Barlow, rf	4	0	0	1	1	0
Sherman, cf	4	0	1	3	1	0
Potts, 2b	4	0	0	2	7	0
Land, c	3	1	1	5	1	0
Harley, lf	4	2	2	1	0	0
Violet, 1b	3	0	1	13	0	0
Gerard, 3b	3	0	1	1	2	0
Brady, p	2	0	0	0	1	0
 Totals,	29	3	6	27	14	0
Hop'ville, Peipho, ss	ab	r	bb	po	a	e
Collins, c	4	0	0	2	4	1
Moore, 2b	4	1	1	1	1	0
Mendall, 3b	4	0	0	2	3	1
Bonar, cf	1	0	1	1	0	0
Hoepple, 1b	3	0	1	13	0	0
Alexander, rf	4	0	1	2	0	0
Doutell, p	3	0	1	0	4	0
Welch, lf	3	0	0	1	1	0
 Totals,	33	2	7	24	14	2
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How the "Big Man" Looks to Kitty League Pitchers.

ROLLSTON, 1904

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POLICE BOARD

ROUTINE BUSINESS TRANSACTED YESTERDAY AFTERNOON.

The police commissioners, who were in session yesterday afternoon at press time, in addition to electing Scott Ferguson and Dick Woods extra policemen, elected Officer Gus Rogers to a regular position, and accepted the resignation of Joe Lucas of Central fire station, whose position they did not fill. Chief Wood, of the fire department, was instructed to require Mr. George Bernhard to have the

fines in some houses he is building constructed properly or to get a warrant for him.

General Manager George C. Wallace and Superintendent Gus Thompson, of the street railway company, were granted special police powers. They are frequently on cars when people attempt to impose on the company and its patrons, and hereafter will not have to call police officers, but will make arrests themselves.

It will also enable them to stop the practice of jumping on moving cars, especially at the baseball game, where it is dangerous.

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SCHOOL BOARD

Adjourned Meeting Held Last Night by Trustees.

New Teachers Elected—Other Business Before the Board.

An adjourned meeting of the board of education was held last night at the High school building, and salaries due teachers for June were allowed.

Three more white teachers and one colored teacher were elected. These were: Misses Elizabeth Chapez, Laura Thomas and Angeline Bowles, of the white schools, and Sallie Lowry for the colored schools. There are about fourteen teachers yet to elect, and the election will probably be held after the examinations this month.

The report of the financial result of the commencement exercises, white and colored, was filed with the board last night and shows a nice profit in the entertainments for the board.

The white commencement after all expenses had been paid brought a profit of \$55.80 while the colored commencement showed a profit of \$23.45.

Superintendent Leib filed a report stating that 22 out of the 37 teachers employed in the white schools, had gone or would go to some normal school for the summer. This is something that has never occurred before, not more than half a dozen teachers of local schools ever attending a summer school to advance their teaching methods. Under this new rule of grades certificates where teachers are paid by the class of certificates held, teachers will put forth efforts to learn the latest and best methods of teaching and will thus better the facilities of the schools. This idea was introduced by Superintendent Lieb, who is an energetic, up-to-date and capable man.

ON VACATION

REV. GEO. O. BACHMAN LEFT TODAY FOR A TWO WEEKS' ABSENCE.

Rev. George O. Bachman and family, left on the steamer Butterfield for Nashville, Tenn., today. Mr. Bachman's family will spend the summer at their country home—"Hill Crest"—near Goodlettsville. After spending a few days with his family, Mr. Bachman will go to Little Rock, Ark., where he will conduct a Sunday school institute June 24, 25, after which he will attend the State Sunday school convention at Camden, Ark., June 28-30; returning in time to preach for his congregation July 3.

ONLY TWO CENTS

TO CARRY LETTERS TO PANAMA HEREAFTER.

Hereafter all mail addressed to persons in the canal zone, owned by the United States on the Isthmus of Panama, will be carried as domestic postage and the same rates charged for carrying mail within the confines of the United States will be charged.

An official bulletin containing the information was received yesterday by Postmaster Fisher from the department at Washington. The domestic rate is two cents for first class packages weighing one ounce or less.

The W. C. T. U. will meet Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock with Mrs. A. C. Elliott, 428 South Ninth street. Flower Mission Day. Members are requested to bring flowers.

ATTENTION ELKS.

Paducah Lodge, B. P. O. E., will visit Mayfield Lodge tonight, leaving on I. C. train at 6:05 p. m. and returning at 1:48 a. m. A large attendance is earnestly requested. There is work to be done and Mayfield requests that this lodge do the work. Meet at Union depot at 6 p. m. Reduced rates.

H. G. JOHNSTON, E. R.
T. W. BAIRD, Sec.

Helena, Okla.—Unknown parties emptied a barrel of kerosene from the second story window of James Wells' store here, and then fired it, the entire building and stock being destroyed.

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HUNGRY CROWD

PICNIC PARTY GOES TO ONE GOLD SPRINGS AND DINNER TO ANOTHER.

A picnic party from the Broadway Methodist Sunday school, chaperoned by Jailer Fayette Jones, went to Cold Springs near Clark's river yesterday, and had rather an unpleasant experience.

It seems that the party ordered the lunch baskets sent out in an express wagon, to follow the wagons carrying the picnickers. The order was given to the express driver to carry the baskets to Cold Springs.

As dinner time drew near, however, and no baskets appeared, some one remembered that the locality of the Cold Springs to which they had gone, had not been given, and that there was another place of similar name and much better known near Maxon Mill, in another part of the county. It developed that the baskets had been taken there, and it was late in the afternoon before the hungry pleasure seekers got any dinner.

CAR TRANSFERS

STREET CAR COMPANY WILL BEGIN SYSTEM NEXT MONTH IF POSSIBLE.

The street car company, in compliance with the franchise ordinance passed two years ago will about the first of July begin transferring from the original Paducah street railway lines on Broadway, Third, Sixth, Trimble and Jackson streets, to the former Rowlandtown line, if the street paving on Fourth street is complete. It would be impossible to transfer at present on account of there being a gap of two blocks in the Rowlandtown line.

As soon as the paving is finished, however, the transfer system will be inaugurated and it will be welcomed by many people whose car fare to and from work now amounts to a great deal in the course of a month.

BOOMERS ON HAND

REPUBLICAN NATIONAL COMMITTEE CONVENES AT CHICAGO.

Chicago, June 15.—The first session of the Republican national committee began today. The van guard of the Fairbank vice presidential boomers has arrived from Indiana and opened headquarters at the Auditorium.

ACONTINUAL STRAIN.

Many men and women are constantly subjected to what they commonly term "a continual strain" because of some financial or family trouble. It wears and distresses them both mentally and physically, affecting their nerves badly and bringing on liver and kidney ailments, with the attendant evils of constipation, loss of appetite, sleeplessness, low vitality and despondency. They cannot, as a rule, get rid of this "continual strain," but they can remedy its health destroying effects by taking frequent doses of Green's Angust Flower. It tones up the liver, stimulates the kidneys, insures healthy bodily functions, gives vim and spirit to one's whole being, and eventually dispels the physical or mental distress caused by that "continual strain." Trial bottle of August Flower, \$25c; regular size, 75c. At DuBois, Kolb & Co.

The Speed of Sense.

Hirsch proved that a touch on the face was recognized by the brain and responded to by a mutual signal in the one-seventh part of a second. The scientist also found that the speed of sense differed for different organs, the sense of hearing being responded to in the one-sixth of a second, while that of sight required only one-fifth of a second to be recognized and signaled.

In all three cases the distance traversed was about the same, so the natural inference is that the image travels more slowly than sound or touch.

The Oak.

The oak chooses a horizontal direction for its limbs so that their whole weight may tell and then stretches them out fifty or sixty feet so that the strain may be mighty enough to be worth resisting. At 90 degrees the oak stops short. To slant upward another degree would mark infirmity of purpose; to bend downward, weakness of organization. Other trees shrink the work of resisting gravity. The oak defies it.—Dr. Holmes.

Appreciated.

"Do you consider Buskin a great actor?"

"No," answered Mr. Stormington Barnes.

"He speaks very admirably of your performance."

"Buskin is not a good actor, but he is a remarkably fine critic."—Washington Star.

Popularity of Restaurant Dining.

The appetite for dining out has grown constantly with what it fed on, and I suppose there are now fifty people dining in London hotels and restaurants every night for one a quarter of a century ago.—London Truth.

Buried Anyhow.

Little Girl—Your papa has only got one leg, hasn't he? Veteran's Little Girl—Yes. Little Girl—Where's his other one? Veteran's Little Girl—Hush, dear; it's in heaven.

The first time that little Addie heard an echo she said, "Mamma, listen at the shadow of the noise."—Little Chronicle.

Progressiveness....

Our persistent aim is to better our business. That which formerly was regarded as BEST is not now so viewed by us. Everything we carry in stock for the sick is high grade and selected with great care. But we carry good things for the well at our fine Soda Fountain. Our CREAM said by many to be the finest they ever ate, Served with Crushed Strawberries, Pine-Apple, Peaches and Nuts. And all other Cooling and Refreshing Drinks served with Pure Fresh Fruit Syrups.

HAYE'S
7th and Broadway.

DANGEROUS WELLS

Horse in the Commons Falls into Old Hole.

Mail Carriers and Others Succeed in Rescuing the Animal.

There are two deep wells in the commons in the rear of the railroad hospital and yesterday a negro's horse fell into one of them and came near going to the bottom before assistance was secured.

Mr. Tom Roberts, the mail carrier, was passing through the commons when he heard a great crash and looking around saw the horse struggling to extricate itself from the hole. The well was originally 80 feet deep but has been partially filled with debris and was covered by a small piece of tin.

Colored people near assisted Mr. Roberts in getting the horse out but the animal was badly skinned and cut up. The city authorities have been notified of the wells and will at once see that they are filled up before some one falls in and causes a damage suit against the city.

Where It Is Always Leap Year.

In one part of "all the Russias," the province of Ukraine, it is always leap year as far as the female privilege of proposing is concerned. It is said to be customary there when a young woman falls in love with a man for her to go to his father's house and in the most tender and pathetic manner plead with the young man to take her as his wife.

She promises the most submissive obedience to his will if he will accept her. If the young man says, "I beg that you will excuse me from this," she tells him that she is resolved not to depart until he shall promise to take her for better or worse. She accordingly takes up her abode there and remains until he is wed and won or until he ends the siege by fleeing to parts unknown.

From the Chinese.

Here is a famous passage from the writings of a Chinese philosopher. More than twenty centuries ago it gained the author the sobriquet of "Butterfly Chung." The philosopher tells of a dream: "Once upon a time I, Chung Tzu, dreamed I was a butterfly, fluttering hither and thither, to all intents and purposes a butterfly. I was conscious only of following my fancy as a butterfly and was unconscious of my individuality as a man. Suddenly I awakened and there I lay, myself again. Now, I do not know whether I was then a man dreaming I was a butterfly or whether I am now a butterfly dreaming I am a man."

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Blood as a Tree Fertilizer.

For several seasons a very ancient walnut, with long, gaunt boughs, carrying much dead wood, had been struggling to live, but each year manifested signs that its life was fast disappearing. The keeper in front of whose house the tree stood took to slinging the carcass of each deer he killed over one of its boughs for dressing. During the process all the blood dripped on the ground and was absorbed. The following spring this tree put forth an astonishing crop of leaves, and in less than three seasons it was making new wood and showing all the vigor which had characterized it thirty years before. Its renewed youth was entirely attributable to the fertilizing properties of the blood with which it had been so liberally dressed.—Country Gentleman.

Good Humor.

According to ancient theory, there are four principal humors in the body—blood, phlegm, choler and melancholy. The predominance of any one determined the temper; hence the expression "choleric humor," etc. A nice balance made a good compound called a good humor, and a preponderance of any bad compound called an ill humor.

Bad Misjudged Him.

"Does your father ever kiss your mamma, Willie?" asked the lady who had once been the gentleman's sweet-heart.

"Yes, every morning when he goes away to the city."

"Dear me! And to think that I once doubted his courage!"—Chicago Record-Herald.

Her Curiosity.

"Mrs. Chelius looks bad, doesn't she?"

"Yes, and no wonder. She's been awake every night for a week past."

"The idea!

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LOCAL LINES.

Social Notes and About People.

—For Dr. Pendley ring 416.
—Palmer Transfer Co. can furnish you with up-to-date, first class livery rigs, spirited horses for fancy driving. Gentle horses for ladies.

Sexton Sign Works makes a specialty of carriage painting, the work being done by first class workmen only. Both phones, 401, Sixteenth and Madison.

—Subscribers to The Sun will favor the management if they will report any failures to receive their papers.

—Paducah visitors to the world's fair will find copies of The Sun on file in The Kentucky building where they can go and read all the news of home.

We have opened a department to handle Paducah securities. List your stocks and bonds with us.

PADUCAH COMMISSION CO.

List your local stocks, bonds and bank stocks for sale with us.

PADUCAH COMMISSION CO.

—The pulpit of the First Cumberland Presbyterian church will be filled on Sunday morning and night by Rev. W. T. Milburn, of Lone Oak, Ky.

— Elder W. T. Kirkpatrick will conduct the prayer meeting at the First Cumberland Presbyterian church on tonight.

—Mr. Alex Kulp has gone to St. Louis to attend the national convention of masons. It is to be an important meeting, with many questions of unusual interest to come up.

—Mr. A. E. Lavelle, of the Bannon brick company, Louisville, was in the city yesterday on business. His factory, which was damaged by fire several weeks ago, will be ready to start again next week.

—Contractor Charles Robertson estimates that he will have Jefferson street graded and gravelled and ready to be received by the city July 4.

—The police are having a great deal of trouble over men and boys going in bathing near the wharf. The boys, especially, have to be run away nearly every night. It is against the law to go in swimming inside the city limits without wearing trunks or bathing suits.

We will publish daily the prices bid and asked for Paducah securities.

PADUCAH COMMISSION CO.

—Many friends in Paducah learned with regret of the death at Cadiz of Judge J. E. Kelly from old age. Five years ago he was a candidate for lieutenant governor.

—"Skeet" Hedges will be here the remainder of the week. He is pitching good ball with Springfield, Ill., where he was farmed out by Milwaukee.

—Mr. A. J. Smith, of the Rhodes-Burford company, is out after a delicate operation performed by Dr. D. T. Stewart, removing a wind bump from beneath his left eye. It had been there since birth.

—Mr. J. R. Cosby is able to sit up in the marine hospital at Evansville and will return to Paducah the latter part of the week unless he takes a turn for the worse.

—On account of the noise made by blackbirds a number of persons have secured permission from the police to shoot them from the trees, in some of which they roost by the hundred.

—Victor Talking Machines are the best. You can get them from R. D. Clements & Co., \$15 to \$60.

A Talcum Talk...

A good Talcum Powder possesses the following points of excellence:

1. Extreme fineness of powder.
2. The property to absorb moisture when applied to the skin.
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Try Lazell's Violet Pounds 25c, or Valentine's Kutch Talcum 32c, and see how excellent they are.

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I. C. CHANGES

A NUMBER MADE IN THE MEMPHIS PASSENGER DEPARTMENTS.

An important change is announced in the force in the Memphis passenger and ticket office of the Illinois Central. George W. Schelke, assistant city ticket agent in the Memphis office, is promoted to city passenger and ticket agent at Evansville, Ind., to succeed F. B. Wheeler, who goes to Nashville, Tenn., as commercial agent to succeed William Smith, Jr., promoted to assistant general freight agent at Evansville.

Mr. Schelke came to Memphis from Louisville, Ky., some time since to succeed Sidney Mitchell, who was promoted to the position of city passenger and ticket agent at New Orleans.

PHOTOGRAPHERS IN SESSION.

Lexington, June 15.—The Kentucky and Tennessee Photographers Association is holding a four days' session with a large attendance. W. C. Hobbs, of Lexington, delivered the address of welcome, and W. S. Lively, of McMinnville, Tenn., president of the association, read the annual report.

MRS. SARAH BAKER DEAD.

Cadiz, Ky., June 15.—Mrs. Sarah Baker died here at a ripe old age. She was a sister to the late Dr. Livingston Lindsay and was one of the oldest residents of Cadiz.

INDUSTRIAL CLUB.

The Industrial club will meet Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock, with Mrs. Frank Kirchhoff, Jr., on South Second street.

REGULAR PRAYER MEETING SERVICES AT TENTH STREET CHRISTIAN CHURCH AT 8 O'CLOCK TONIGHT. SUBJECT: "BETTING SIN; REPENTANCE."—HEB. 12:1; MRS. FLORENCE WHEELER LEADER. ALL ARE INVITED.

—There is no change in the condition of Mr. W. W. Powell, who has been ill for a long while from typhoid fever, at the I. C. hospital.

RUBBED IT IN

GOOD ADVICE THAT WAS OVER LOOKED.

Good advice, like experience, has to be "rubbed in" sometimes for we don't pay attention to it until two or three friends tell us the same thing.

A Tampa woman who believed that coffee was hurting her and her husband wouldn't be convinced until nature had forced the truth home. Then they quit, as she says:

"My love for coffee was so strong, to give it up seemed impossible until my nerves were completely shattered when we finally found the condition of both of us so serious we decided something must be done."

"Our ministers' wife had recommended Postum to us a few years before as the finest food drink made and advised us to try it if coffee was hurting us, but we forgot all about the good lady's advice and when we finally broke down under coffee we shifted to tea but soon found we were just as bad off as ever. Then we used simple 'kettle tea' or hot water until about eight months ago we were strongly urged to get some Postum which we did and, my, wasn't it a surprise.

"What a delicious drink that first cup of Postum was, so satisfying and such a wonderful relief, for we need a hot drink at meal times provided it is healthful and not a stimulant. It was perfectly delightful, with no bad effects following, and from that time husband and I have improved steadily in health and spirits, while we enjoy our Postum so much we have said good-bye to old coffee forever."

"By following the directions on the package closely that's the only way Postum makes a beautiful rich coffee color, and when made that way I don't believe the most fastidious coffee drinker in the world would pass it aside. The surest way is to follow the directions." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

Look in each pkg., for the famous little book, "The Road to Wellville."

"The remark of my friend here has given me renewed encouragement. If before I had any shadow of doubt as to my success, he has dispelled it, for if I poll the full d— fool vote of this precinct, I will be elected by a rousing majority."

Clark afterward said he knew he was taking long chances. But the audience went wild over the rejoinder, and the Congressman really did carry the precinct when election day rolled around.—Baltimore Herald.

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Christian Travelers.

The largest camp of the Gideons,

the organization of Christian commer-

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Suggestion for Prudent Men

To the average man five or ten dollars a month saved appears too insignificant to pay for the effort, yet a laying aside of ten dollars each month is a judicious investment if it may prove the beginning of a fortune. These ends are accomplished through the LEVEL PREMIUM SIX-YEAR BONDS of the Southern Mutual Investment Company of Lexington, Kentucky, which specifies the length of the investment period, seventy-four years, consequently the company may buy longer term securities than large banks, which pay larger profits and are at the same time just as safe. The Southern Mutual Investment Company distributes all earnings amongst investors, in proportion to their investments. Furthermore, this company handles only the safest securities, taking no speculative chances, so that there is no possibility of loss to the bondholder, and he is further protected by the company's deposit of \$100,000 with the Kentucky State Treasurer; the facts that all officers and employees are heavily bonded in Fidelity Companies, and the business is controlled by state laws and under the supervision of state officials.

One unusually attractive feature of the Level Premium Six-Year Bond is that the redemption of coupons during the term of the contract secures an income to the bondholder, which, of course, may be compounded by reinvesting—a thing not accomplished under any other form of installment investment.

Men in any station of life may buy these bonds, and every one receives returns in absolute proportion to the size of the investment. The bond may be paid for by monthly installments of as little as \$2.25, and any multiple of \$2.25 may be invested.

This company, with its past experience and present earnings as criteria, estimates that on a net investment of \$7.40 (extending over a period of twenty-four months) in this bond, the holder should receive a profit of \$20.52.3.

Does any other institution, affording the same security, pay as great a profit in an equal period of time?

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Makes Fat, Strength, Blood, Bone and Muscle.

If you are tired, broken down, despondent, worn out, pale, losing flesh, have no energy, do not feel like rising in the morning for the day's work, you need a bottle of this wonderful medicine. Do you want good rich red blood? Do you want the bloom to come back to the cheek? Are you convalescing after having fever, pneumonia or measles? Then you ought to take a bottle of EMULSO-HYPO. It's a medicinal food that reaches every tissue in the body and builds you up. Taken in a little wine it's as pleasant as cough syrup.

Read what the editor of the Meridian Star of Mississippi, A. G. Davis, writes under date of April 8:

"My mother took the Emulso-Hypo and has been greatly benefited. She is better health than she has been in years."

J. W. Russell, county court clerk of Hickman county, Tenn., writes:

"My wife has used several bottles of Emulso-Hypo with Iron and has been wonderfully improved. I can conscientially recommend it for all lung trouble."

Rev. G. T. Sullivan, presiding elder of the Memphis district, writes under date of Dec. 1, 1903:

"My daughter, whose system was very much run down, has been taking your Beechwood Emulso-Hypo with Iron, and has improved so much with one bottle I have no doubt by continuance she will be fully restored in her nerve forces. I am delighted with the results and shall continue her on it. Wishing you prosperity, I am, yours truly,

G. T. SULLIVAN.

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Old Point Comfort, Virginia Beach, Ocean View, Atlantic City and Atlantic Coast Resorts.

The C. & O. R.R. reaches various Mountain and Seashore Resorts, at which very reasonable accommodation can be had. Full information, descriptive pamphlet, list of 300 summer homes in the mountains, at C. & O. ticket office, 257 Fourth Ave., Louisville, Ky., or W. A. Wilgus, S. P. A., C. & O. R.R., Hopkinsville, Ky.

HOTEL LAGOMARSINO

Ladies, if you become fatigued while shopping stop in our Cafe. A nice place to find rest and light lunches.

Everything in Season.

CLEANING CISTERNS.

Today the old fire cisterns in the streets are being cleaned by workmen. The city has decided to place them all in good condition to use in case of emergency. Several wagon loads of mud were taken from the two cleaned yesterday, one being at Sixth and Washington and another at Third and Monroe.

WORLD'S FAIR RATES.

For the World's Fair Louisiana Purchase Exposition, to be held at St. Louis from April 30th, to Dec. 1st, inclusive, the Illinois Central Railroad Co. will sell excursion tickets from Paducah to St. Louis and return as follows:

Daily from April 25th to Nov. 15th, round trip \$8.50, good returning until Dec. 15th.

Daily from April 25th to Nov. 30th, round trip \$7.10, good returning for 60 days, in addition to date of sale but no later than Dec. 15th.

J. T. DONOVAN, Agent.
G. A. LITTELL, Ticket Agent, Union Depot.

HELD NO ELECTION.

The retail merchants association did not elect a secretary yesterday afternoon at their meeting held for the purpose. Attorney Albin Barkley has been acting as secretary and is not an applicant for the secretaryship, but at the request of the merchants yesterday consented to continue to act as secretary for a while longer, and no election was held.

ACUTE RHEUMATISM.

Deep tearing or wrenching pains, occasioned by getting wet through; worse when at rest, or on first moving the limbs and in cold or damp weather, is cured quickly by Ballard's Snow Liniment. Oscar Olson, Gibson City, Illinois, writes, February 16, 1902: "A year ago I was troubled with a pain in my back. It soon got so bad I could not bend over. One bottle of Ballard's Snow Liniment cured me," 25c. 50c. \$1.

Sold by DuBois, Kolb & Co., Paducah, Ky.

APPOINTED JUDGE ADVOCATE.

Mr. G. Tablott Berry, of Morganfield, Union county, has been appointed judge advocate general for the state guard of Kentucky. He is an attorney, former member of the legislature and is a brother of Mr. Harry Berry, of the Racket store, Paducah.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL EARNINGS.

The Illinois Central statement for April shows gross earnings of \$5,530,378, an increase of \$265,556. For ten months the gross earnings show an increase of \$1,957,625. The net earnings for ten months fell off \$1,226,891.

WORLD'S FAIR RATES.

The following low excursion rates have been authorized from Paducah to St. Louis, Mo., and return by the Illinois Central Railroad company on account of world's fair.

On sale daily until November 15, good returning until December 15, \$8.50.

On sale daily until November 20, good returning for 60 days but not later than December 15, \$7.10.

Coach excursions, for which tickets will be sold June 9, 14, 16, 21, 23, 28, and 30, \$5.31, good returning seven days from date of sale. Coach excursion tickets will not be good in sleeping or drawing room cars and baggage should not be checked.

J. T. DONOVAN, Agent.
G. A. LITTELL, Ticket Agent, Union Depot.
June 7, 1904.

Lexington—Police Judge John J. Riley sentenced Simon Searce, a negro lad, to be whipped in the public square. Searce had struck a white boy. The boy's mother administered the punishment.

THAT TIRED FEELING.

If you are languid, depressed and incapable for work, it indicates that your liver is out of order. Herbine will assist nature to throw off headaches, rheumatism and ailments akin to nervousness and restore the energies and vitality of sound and perfect health. J. J. Hubbard, Temple, Texas, writes, March 22, 1902: "I have used Herbine for the past two years. It has done me more good than all the doctors. When I feel bad and have that tired feeling, I take a dose of Herbine. It is the best medicine ever made for chills and fever." 50 cents a bottle.

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WAS HIS SON

MR. JOHN AARON RECEIVES CONFIRMATION OF DROWNING IN ARKANSAS.

Mr. John Aaron, the painter, received a telegram last night in response to an inquiry wired to Arkansas, that the man recently drowned near Texarkana was his son, Aaron, who had lived near Texarkana for some time past.

The dead man was well known in Paducah, having formerly lived here, and leaves a former wife and child here. The particulars of his death were not given, but it was stated that the body was found and had been interred.

\$18.00 CHICAGO TO ST. PAUL—MINNEAPOLIS AND RETURN

Via the Northwestern Line. \$22.00 round trip Chicago to Superior and Duluth; \$15.50 round trip Chicago to St. Paul. \$1.50 round trip Superior to St. Paul. \$1.50 round trip Duluth to St. Paul. \$1.50 round trip Superior to Duluth.

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NAPOLEON, As Seen by His Associates

THE "LITTLE CORPORAL" AND HIS SOLDIERS

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NAPOLEON'S personal relations with his soldiers were a powerful and perhaps a decisive factor in his career. Although dictatorial and even tyrannical in the extreme, the great war lord kept in close touch with "the man with the musket." Says Caulaincourt in his memoirs as follows:

"When he reviewed the troops he asked the officers and often the soldiers in what battles they had been engaged, and to those who had received serious wounds he gave the cross. Here, I think, I may appropriately mention a singular piece of charlatanism to which the emperor had recourse and which powerfully contributed to augment the enthusiasm of his troops. He would say to one of his aids-de-camp: 'Ascertain from the colonel of such a regiment whether he has in his corps a man who has served in the campaigns of Italy or the campaigns of Egypt. Ascertain his name, where he was born, the particulars of his family and what he has done. Learn his number in the ranks and to what company he belongs and furnish me the information.'

"In the camp all etiquette was banished in the entirely military relations between the sovereign and his comrades in arms. The private was authorized to leave the ranks on presenting arms and to lay any request he might have to make before the emperor either verbally or in writing."

The Duchesse d'Albignac treats the subject in greater detail by recalling a scene on the field at Austerlitz, as described by her husband, General Junot:

"The night before the battle the emperor directed Junot, Duroc and Berthier to put on their cloaks and follow him, as he was going round to see that all was arranged as he wished. The bivouac fires were surrounded by soldiers, among whom there were many of the brave Guards who were afterward nicknamed the Grognards (Grunblers). They were singing and talking, and many of them were engaged in recounting the splendid victories of Italy and of Egypt. The emperor, wrapped up in his redingote grise, passed along unperceived. He listened to their conversation, smiled and seemed greatly affected. Suddenly he passed a bivouac fire of which, gleaming full in his face, discovered him. 'The emperor!' exclaimed the whole group. 'Vive l'empereur! Vive l'empereur!' responded the next. Along the whole line, in the bivouac and under the tents, the cry of 'Vive l'empereur!' passed from mouth to mouth and rent the air. The fires were immediately deserted, for the soldiers rushed forward to behold their well beloved chief. They took the straw from their beds and, lighting it, made torches with which they illuminated the gloom of the night, still shouting 'Vive l'empereur!' with that heartfelt enthusiasm which neither authority, seduction nor corruption can ever repress. Napoleon was moved. 'Enough, my ladies; enough of this!', he said. But these proofs of attachment afforded him the liveliest pleasure, and his heart responded to them: 'Ah, you seek glory!' exclaimed an old soldier with mustachios which

Appeals to baser motives than thirst for glory were resorted to, as proved by Napoleon's own words:

"Soldiers, you are naked and badly fed. The government owes you much and can give you nothing. Your patience and courage amidst these trials are admirable, but they gain for you no glory, no reputation. I will lead you to the most fertile plains in the world. Rich provinces, large towns, will be in your power. You will there find honor, wealth and glory. Soldiers of the army of Italy, are you failing in courage and constancy?"

Recalling in after years those days of his novitiate, he said:

"I set out for Italy with ill trained soldiers, who were, however, full of zeal and daring. In the midst of the troops I had wagons placed and escorted on the march as though they were empty. These I called the treasure chests of the army. I put it in the order of the day that shoes should be distributed to the recruits. No one would wear them. I promised my soldiers that fortune and glory should await us behind the Alps. I kept my word, and ever since then the army would follow me to the end of the world."

But woe to the individual soldiers who took their chieftain's promises of fortune seriously. Meneyval tells how he had some of his best fighters shot for their excesses and adds:

"I cannot refrain in connection with this act of severe justice to rebut the accusation brought against Napoleon of having tolerated disorder in his armies by a kind of tacit understanding between himself and his soldiers, who, resembling in this the undisciplined hordes of the middle ages, were said to serve their chief only because of his tolerance of their excesses. His orders of the day entailed the greatest respect for property and scathed those who tolerated disorder."

A paragraph in one of Napoleon's general orders on discipline reads:

"Generals of division are authorized to shoot at once any officers or soldiers who by their example excite others to pillage and thereby destroy discipline, spread disorder in the army and compromise its safety and its glory."

The same order provides summary punishment for various breaches of military discipline, showing that Napoleon's popularity was not due to toleration. Abnormal in every sense almost, Napoleon still had that touch of human nature which wins the hearts of men. An aid-de-camp once lost some dispatches intended for the emperor. "Put him under arrest for a few days," he wrote to the general in authority. "An aid-de-camp may lose his breeches on a journey, but not his sword or papers."

Bourrienne gives another side to the picture in describing how Napoleon worked up the enthusiasm of his troops by skillfully prepared proclamations:

"When Bonaparte dictated his proclamations he was for the moment inspired, and he evinced all the excitement which distinguishes the Italian improvisatore. To follow him it was necessary to write with inconceivable rapidity. When I have read over to him what he has dictated I have often known him to smile triumphantly at the effect which he expected any particular phrase would produce. In general his proclamations turned on three distinct points—(1) praising his soldiers for what they had done, (2) pointing out to them what they had yet to do, and (3) abusing his enemies. The soldiers frequently could not understand what Napoleon said in these proclamations, but no matter for that; they

NAPOLEON AT THE BIVOUAC.
[After a picture by Philippoteaux.]

seemed never to have been cut since the first passage of the Alps. 'Well, tomorrow the good soldiers of the Guard will purchase it to crown your anniversary.' 'What are you growing about under those thick mustachios?' said the emperor, approaching the old grenadier with one of those smiles which in him were so captivating. The grenadier, like most of his comrades, held in his hand a torch of straw, whose light revealed his swarthy scarred face, the expression of which was at that moment most remarkable. The emperor repeated his question. 'Faith, my general—that is, Sire,' replied the soldier, 'I only say that we will thrash those rascals of Russians—that is, if you desire it, for discipline before everything. So vive l'empereur!'

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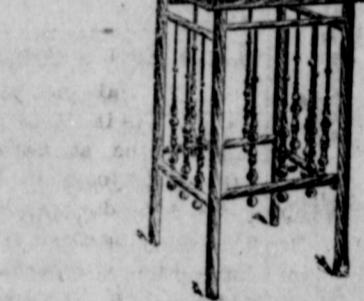


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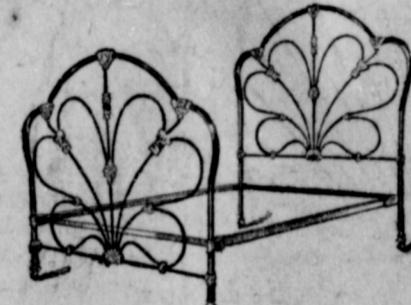
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MUCH MATERIAL

SENT OUT FOR THE BLOCK SYSTEM.

This morning five car loads of material and a large force of workmen started out of Princetown for the block system installed between Paducah and Central City, on the Illinois Central.

Traveling Chief Dispatcher McCabe recently passed through this city en route over the division, and ordered the work pushed.

Mr. McCabe will have the work completed by the middle of the next month.

DEATH OF A CHILD.

David Lang Elliott, the two months old child of Mr. and Mrs. Alonso Elliott died late yesterday afternoon at the family residence, 618 South Fifth street. The funeral took place at 4:30 o'clock and the burial was at Oak Grove.

Eldora, Ill.—Isaac Allison, of Danville, Ill., was found dead in a barn hanging from a rafter by a halter, evidently having hung himself, but the reason for his act is not known.

GEORGE L. KILMER.

WASN'T HURT

SO THE TRAMP WAS TRANSFERRED FROM THE RAILROAD TO CITY HOSPITAL.

S. R. Knowles, an aged tramp of Indiana, was picked up near Island Creek last night by the crew of an Illinois Central freight train and taken to the I. C. hospital for treatment. He was supposed to have been struck by a train but an examination failed to show any bruises. His legs were covered with bad sores, evidently from some blood disease, and later the railroad physicians sent him to the city hospital for treatment. Knowles says he is 58 years of age.

Nevada, Mo.—An unknown man was killed by the west bound Missouri Pacific train at Winton, near Higginsville, Mo.

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—Alvie Jones, colored, arrested as a suspect, was released by the police, nothing incriminating having been ascertained against him.

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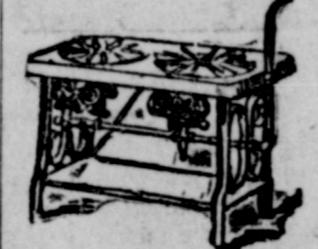
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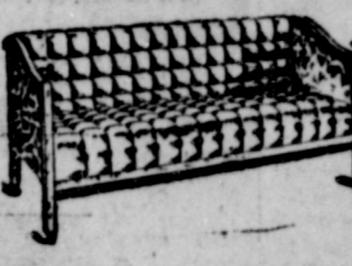
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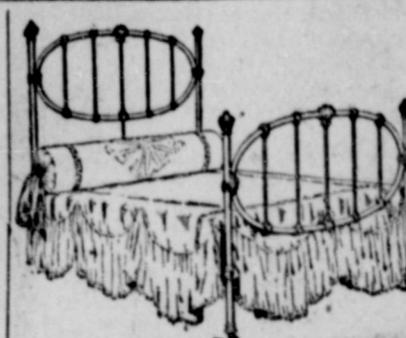
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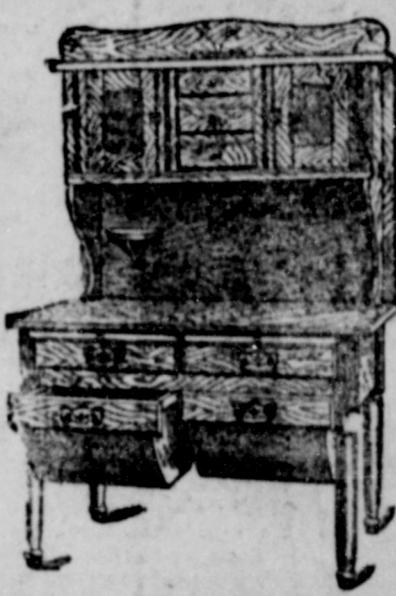
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